



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Atty. Dkt. No: 5266-02600 §
Application No: 09/657,250 §
Filing Date: September 6, 2000 §
Inventor(s): §
Pierre, et al. §
Title: EVENT BOOKING §
MECHANISM §
Examiner: Manning, John §
Group/Art Unit: 2614 §
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PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136
FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant respectfully petitions the Commissioner for a one-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 within which to respond to the Official Action mailed November 17, 2005, such extension allowing the undersigned until December 17, 2005, to respond.

A Fee Authorization is enclosed to cover this extension fee. However, if the Fee Authorization is missing or insufficient, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Meyertons, Hood, Kivlin, Kowert & Goetzel, P.C. Deposit Account No. 50-1505/5266-02600/RDR.

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